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Application No. 09/639,171-Conf. #4002	Filing Date August 16, 2000	Examiner R. Hesseltine	Art Unit 2623

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Invention: FINGERPRINT COLLATING DEVICE AND FINGERPRINT COLLATING METHOD

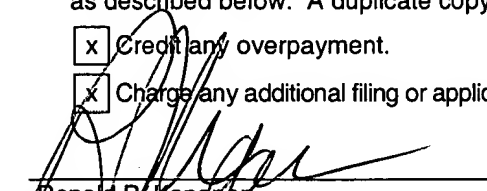
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated May 9, 2003 (Paper No. 3), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

SPECIFICATION

- ☐ There are no amendments to the specification.
- ☒ Marked up replacement(s) paragraphs are presented in a separate section.

CLAIMS

- ☐ There are no amendments to the claims.
- ☒ A complete listing of all claims ever present in this case in ascending order with status identifier is presented in a separate section.